Action against Government officers for certain crimes

1435. SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether under Central/State Government service rules, any employer against whom an FIR is lodged for crimes like burning of wife for not bringing enough dowry etc. is suspended/removed from service.

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any representation has been received where ASP (intelligence) Kanpur is involved in poisoning his wife on 3rd/4th February, 1991;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the action taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): (a) and (b) According to existing instructions issued by the Department of Personnel and Training if a case has been registered by the police against a Central Government Servant under Section 304 B Indian Penal Code and if he is arrested in connection with the registration of police case then he is placed under suspension. If he is not arrested, he shall be placed under suspension immediately on submission of a police report under sub-section 2 of section 173 of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1973 to the Magistrate, if a report prima facie indicates that the offence has been committed by the Government Servant.

Various State Governments have framed their own service rules for their employees.

(c) to (e) The subject relates to the State Government of Uttar Pradesh. However, a case has been registered in P. S. Nawalgunj Kanpur under Section 498A and 304 B IPC.

Indians Residing Abroad

1436. MISS. SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to conduct any survey to accertain the number of Indians residing in foreign countries;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(b) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI MADHAVSINH SOLANKI): (a) No Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The Government are already aware of the numbers of Indians residing in foreign countries.

Kilings and Ayodhya Firing

1437. SHRI RAJ MOHAN GANDHI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the discrepancies in the figures of those killed and wounded in the incidents in Ayodhya in October-November, 1990, furnished by the Uttar Pradesh Government and by the Vishwa Hindu Parishad;

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard; and

(c) what steps Government propose to take to get the correct figures?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M. M. JACOB): (a) to (c) Maintenance of 'Public Order' is the primary responsibility of the State Government and thus the compilation of figures in respect of those killed and wounded is done by the State Government concerned. However, according to a report received from the State Government of Uttar Pradesh in December,